Cesar Chavez Day of Service and Learning
Service-Learning Project Form 2003
(A blank form is available at the Chavez Day website)

Service Project Description (Complete this form if your proposals contains more than one service project)	Start/ End dates	State # of students, schools, grade ranges, and estimated service hours per student	State what work kids will do on this project	State how links to Chavez are incorporated	State links to curriculum	Estimated number of hours of class instruction
Example one: Garden Project. At Cesar Chavez Park in downtown Sacramento kids will plant a memorial garden and construct a fence around the peremeter.	February 15 – March 30	75 students, grades 4th – 7th, 3 elementary schools, and an average of 5 service hours per student.	Kids will dig up grass; construct raised beds; install irrigation system; plant the garden; develop garden sign with adult supervision.	The Chavez values will be painted on the beds; kids will link their work to farmworker movement on a worksheet as project progresses.	Garden project is linked to amended Master Gardener curriculum, including lessons on the movement, pesticides, and Chavez.	Each student will receive an average of 4 hours of class instruction
Example two: Clothing Collection Project. Kids will collect unclaimed lost and found clothing from three other public schools, launder the clothes, and deliver them to the Mission Homeless Shelter.	March 30 – April 15	50 students, grades 1st – 3rd, 2 elementary schools, and an average of 3 service hours per student.	Kids will write letters to other schools, collect and launder clothes, and fold and deliver them to the Mission.	Kids will work in 3 Chavez values teams: the "determination" team will collect the clothes; the "sacrifice" team will launder the clothes; and the "service to needy" team will deliver them	The launder project is linked to a social studies curriculim that includes lessons on the economic struggles of farmworkers then and now.	Each student will receive an average of 3 hours of classroom instruction.